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Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's recent verbal request, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 16 as shown. We are enclosing a complete set of claims indicating that claims 16-22 are presently in this application.

REMARKS

Pursuant to the Examiner's recent request, applicant is hereby amending claim 16.

As previously discussed with the Examiner, the present invention is directed to a method of enabling a plurality of vendors to transmit inventory information to an exchange platform at differing rate intervals. One of the purposes of the present invention is to allow an exchange platform to be created such that different types of vendors would supply inventory information to the exchange platform allowing one or more buyers to review this inventory information. Based upon the frequency that the exchange platform would allow the vendors to transmit